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BY GRASSLEY

A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the issuance of senior crossbow deer hunting
2 licenses.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. Section 483A.8B, subsection 1, Code 2017, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 1. A person who is a resident and who is seventy years
4 of age or older may be issued one special senior statewide
5 ~~antlerless deer only~~ antlered or any sex deer crossbow deer
6 hunting license to hunt deer during bow season as established
7 by rule by the commission. A person who obtains a license
8 to hunt deer under this section is not required to pay the
9 wildlife habitat fee but shall be otherwise qualified to hunt
10 deer in this state and shall purchase a resident hunting
11 license that does not include the wildlife habitat fee.

12 EXPLANATION

13 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with
14 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

15 This bill provides that a resident who is 70 years of age or
16 older may be issued one special senior statewide antlered or
17 any sex deer crossbow deer hunting license to hunt deer during
18 bow season as established by rule by the natural resource
19 commission. Currently, such a license may be issued to hunt
20 antlerless deer only.